Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. The decision to pre-empt regular programming to show a partisan and controversial program like "Stolen Honor" so close to the election without giving equal primetime to a pro Kerry program like "Going Upriver" is clearly not fulfilling that obligation.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.